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## Some Blizzard!

## CHINOOK PHARMACY

VICTROLAS  
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If you haven't a Victrola in your home it is because you don't know how perfectly it will play the music you like best.

It will bring to you all the popular songs of the day, all the old ballads of long ago and all the beautiful hymns

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Every Sack Guaranteed!

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## Breezelets

Walk into my "peace"-ful parlor,  
Said the Huns to the Allies;  
And find a packet of "scraps of paper,"

Full of Hun promises—and (O Hies)

No, we'll not walk into your "peace"-ful parlor;

Which is a cunning Hun trap;

But give you more shot and shell

—And change our positions on the map.

[With apologies to Spokeshave]

In view of the fact that the war is costing about five million dollars an hour, the need of an eight hour day becomes more and more urgent.

The mint is hurrying the output of the half dollar, a coin now used for the purchase of things that use to cost a quarter.

If it is going to be a free Poland, why not let Poland decide what it is to be free?

"Too much money," says a philosopher, "does as much harm as too little."

But the philosopher leaves in the dark. How much is too much?

"Constantine spars for more time in his dealings with the Allies," is the latest news from Greece.

What else has Constantine been doing from the start?

And will continue to do until her ends have been accomplished, unless her bluff is quickly called by the Allies.

"Without women Britain could not win the war," said Cecil Hamsworth, head of the English Women's War Employment commission.

Doubtless that may be what some of the politicians will be saying of the Alberta women after the next provincial election.

Greece gets 48 hours in which to comply with the demands contained in a note by the Allies.

It is to be hoped it won't be in the class of the Wilson famous notes.

Well, there are some prophecies that fail. The year 1917 is with us and the war is not yet ended.

## Annual School Meeting

## A GOOD TURNOUT OF RATEPAYERS

The first annual meeting of the Chinook Consolidated S.D. was held in the school-house on Monday afternoon, and was the most largely attended school meeting held in Chinook. It must have been gratifying to the Board to see so many of the ratepayers take so much interest in school matters. This is as it should be.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. I. W. Deman, chairman of the 1916 school board, and supported by Trustees Bennett and Maris.

A very concise and lengthy report was given by Secretary L. Proudfoot. One thing was made clear from the report, was the fact that the Board had had a strenuous and anxious time in financing the building and equipping the school. As the debentures could be sold, entailing the expenditure of over \$20,000; and also that much time had been spent by the Board on the work during the past six months. We are sorry we haven't time to give the report in detail, but the following are the main points:

Cost of school — \$15,000.00  
Total taxes ..... 7,538.84  
Taxes collected ..... 3620.92  
" uncollected,..... 3,917.92  
Debentures sold..... 15,000.00

At the close of the report, the Chairman called for nominations for trustees for 1917, the following being the result:

Bison: H. T. Lensegraf  
Crocus: N. F. Marcy  
Buffalo Plains: Jas. Young  
Popular: J. A. McDonald and A. E. Roberts.

The Chairman declared the first three elected by acclamation, and said unless one resigned there would be an election for Popular district. Finally Mr. McDonald resigned and Mr. Roberts was declared elected.

Several questions were asked and answered.

The question of building a teachers' residence and the purchase of a piano for the use of the school, brought forward by Chairman, were left for the new Board to deal with.

The retiring trustees were—Bison, I. W. Deman; Crocus, F. Maris; Popular, Mr. Bennett; Buffalo Plains, Jas. Young.

Votes of thanks were tendered the Board, and to the Secretary for his excellent report.

## From "Hacking" to "Cooing"

## WHY SUCH A SUDDEN CHANGE?

WHY was it that the German Chancellor spoke so yearningly, so pathetically, of Peace, the Peace the Germans want, in his last proposals?

Why did the man who regarded the Belgian treaty (that it, Belgian blood, Belgian treasure, Belgian beauty of art and learning)—as "a scrap of paper"—why does he talk so seriously of the "guarantees" he was willing to give in 1914, and is still willing to give.

Is it a conversion? Doesn't the Chancellor realize that idealistic guarantees from a Government that believes in "real" world politics, and holds that all treaties are so much negligible ink, are of no value? Why, in sum, this perpetual explaining away of the reasons that the vast majority of his people were glad to welcome in 1914? Why has the hawk's screech turned to a cooing dove's tune, tinged with faint regrets?

We need not go back to the beginning of the war for an explanation, since the present stage, the middle stage, furnishes a better.

The reason mild men like the Chancellor, and fierce men like Little Willie, and super men like Harden now coo like unto doves is simply this—FAILURE! The burglar repents because he has not got off with the goods or the gambler is sorry because the great infallible scheme went smash.

If he had got off with them—if Germany had won the complete victory that the Prussian General Staff told her she would win—then you may be sure there would have been no need for the Chancellor, or anybody else, to talk of Peace.

But they have not won; and now at least they cannot win in proportion to what they've lost. Therefore, they decant upon Peace, and declare that, because Russia tried to defend Serbia and Britain Belgium, therefore Germany was grossly attacked and had to defend her poor little martyred self and "hack her way through," even if in so doing a little "wrong" was committed.

The Chancellor has been converted now from "hacking" and "wrong" (1914) to cooing and Peace (1916) by a fact—failure of hacking.

But cooing may be no more successful as a means of hoodwinking the world.

## R. M. of Golden Centre, No. 272

The 1st meeting of the above council was held at L. C. Michael's Wednesday, Jan. 3rd.  
Members all present.  
Minutes read and adopted  
Correspondence read and disposed of.

Following accounts were ordered paid:

Assn of L.I.D.'s and R.M.'s,	membership fees	\$10.00
L. C. Michael, returning officer		\$5.00
Arthur Miller, dep ret.		8.00
Chinook Advance, printing		\$7.00
Robt Gardiner, fee paid by		
to J. P. Kelly, atty		25.00
Oyen News, Dec advt.		1.00
Empire Lumber Co., lumber		
for culverts		\$2.35
Ralph Greene, 3 months' sal		212.50
N. D. Ross		12.50
Fred Drafahl, road work		5.00
H. H. Earing, com. fees & mil		26.27
Canada Ingot Iron Co. culverts		\$50.00
G. C. Bennett, 586 acres at \$20		
for roadway		117.20
John Baker, road work		130.72
E. E. Vanstone, rep on plow		3.50
Alta. school Supply Co., bonds		
for secretary and bailiffs		\$2.00
S. McLachlin, weed inspector		15.00

Bailiffs were instructed to continue collecting 1915 arrears.

Robt Gardiner was appointed reeve and H. G. Logan, deputy reeve.

Ralph Greene was appointed sec.-treas. at \$850.00 per annum

The meeting place was selected at L. C. Michael's at \$6.00 rent per meeting.

Bailiffs were requested to report at next meeting hand on which taxes were uncollectable.

By-Law to amend By-Law No. 1, restraining hogs, sheep and goats during whole year, was read twice.

The Reeve was appointed delegate to annual meeting of Hail Insurance Board.

Councillors Logan and Wilson were appointed delegates to the annual convention of Ass'n of L. I.D.'s and R.M.'s, with Councillors Fulton and Ellis as substitutes.

Reeve was instructed to do all in his power towards getting Hail Insurance Board to make additional levy next year to pay all claims which they are unable to pay this year; also to make resolution on a surcharge; also make resolution that power to borrow money be restored to Hail Board with provision that Board may by resolution transfer such power to any municipality within the Hail Insurance District.

Delegates to convention of L. I.D.'s and R.D.'s were instructed to make resolution that each municipality be given privilege to publish annual statement or send copy to each ratepayer.

Council adjourned to Feb. 17.  
Ralph Greene, Sec.-Treas.











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If you think that within the next few months you will have a week or month to spare, show a little interest in life and ask us about these excursions. Enquire or write to

IRA CARD, Agent, Chinook, Alta.

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Principal repayable 1st October, 1919.

Interest payable half-yearly, 1st April and 1st October by cheque (free of exchange at any chartered Bank in Canada) at the rate of five per cent per annum from the date of purchase.

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Proceeds of this stock are for war purposes only.

A commission of one-quarter of one per cent will be allowed to registered bond and stock brokers on allotments made in respect of applications for this stock which bear their stamp.

For application forms apply to the Deputy Minister of Finance, Ottawa.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA  
OCTOBER 7th, 1918.

## SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Land Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within one mile of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required, except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties.—Six months residence in each of six years after earning homestead patent; also 30 acre extra cultivation. Pre-empt a patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$2.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 30 acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORY, C.M.G.  
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior  
N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—6438

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Is an organization for service. Every farmer should know what that service means to the community. The Company is organized and equipped to help you and your neighbor. That is the single purpose of its existence.

Helpfulness must be mutual and your co-operation is necessary. This is the first of a series of advertisements written for one purpose—to bring us closer together in an atmosphere of co-operation—or mutual helpfulness to mutual profit. Please carefully read the complete series—a new advertisement will appear each week.

## SEE OUR AGENT

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## CHINOOK LIVERY BARN and FEED STABLES

Stock left in our care have the best of attention.  
Good Rigs and Horses. Ample Accommodation

J. MAXWELL

## Some Treats in Store

Under the auspices of the local I.O.O.F. the following noted companies have been engaged for the present season, in Arm's hall, Chinook:

Jan. 19th—Ruthvern Macdonald, who gives an evening in song and story.

Feb. 26th—Fax-Wilson Co. Jimmy Fax is well-known as "The king of fun-makers."

March 17th—The Toronto Ladies Quartette. This will be a great treat to those who attend.

March 29th—The noted Dixie Jubilee Singers.

## DIED

At Calgary on Monday, Jan 8th, Hugh Adams, aged 60 years of Cereal, Alta.

The New Acadia Hotel has made arrangements to serve meals at any hour during the day time, for the accommodation of farmers and others coming into town between regular meal hours.

## Rearville (South)

Jan. 4th, 1917.

Another year has rolled by, and another prosperous year for the the Chinook country. For evidence, one only has need to step into the Chinook stores and see the large number of farmers exchanging their money for loads of merchandise.

Most of the farmers are wondering when they will be able to ship their wheat. Perhaps if we had Lloyd George here he would help the railways to get a move on. He has certainly got things going in England.

Loose cattle are getting to be a nuisance around here, breaking into other people's feed yards.

Willie Gaughey intends going to Calgary next week. Well, we hope he'll bring her back with him this time.

N. Coutes has been under the weather the past month, but is some better now.

I. O. Longager and family are spending the rest of the winter in Saskatoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Osterberg spent the Xmas tide in Spokane.

M. F. Sutor is busy hauling hay to fill his new big barn.

Miss Annie Peyton went to Chilmark on Tuesday to take charge of the school there.

M. J. Evans is busy finishing his house and otherwise improving his place. He intends going into raising hogs and chicken business, having purchased some pure-bred sows and some Rhode Island Red chickens.

In the published account of the recent concert in aid of the Red Cross Fund, the part and interest taken in the affair by the Clarke school district was inadvertently omitted. This school district deserved equal honors with the Rearville S.D. in making the concert such a great success.

## Must Be Some Shelter!

## DAYS OF MIRACLES NOT PAST

An unfortunate incident was ordered to a member of the Herald staff this week. A citizen when leaving town requested a neighbor to look after his chickens during his absence. The neighbor neglected, or for some reason did not attend to them, and as a consequence when a small boy living in the neighborhood opened the barn door in search of a bundle of straw, he found many of them frozen to death, and the remainder in the last stages of starvation. The young lad very thoughtfully took them to proper shelter, and succeeded in reviving them.—Hanna Herald.

The day of miracles is not past. No doubt there are many people who would like to know the secret process used by that young Hanna genius in reviving "frozen to death" chickens.

## Chinook Breezes

McLean—At Chinook, on Jan. 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. J. McLean, a son.

Sole—At Chinook, on Jan. 2nd to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sole, a daughter.

Dawson—At Chinook, on the 11th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Dawson, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Grow of Jerome, Idaho, U.S., are visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mrs. and Mrs. J. Smylie.

Mr. Cascallen of Calgary was in town this week and spent a day or two with his aunt, Mrs. A. George.

## A Pathetic Story

The Dr. tells a pathetic little story that might well-nigh break a heart of stone. During that pitiless blizzard of Thursday he found a little wee girlie, without even a nighty on, and too young to tell her name. With tender care he left the little mite at one of our citizen's homes, where it will be tenderly cared for "for ever afterwards."

## The Worst Yet

The blizzard of to-day was one of the worst experienced by the "oldest inhabitant" in this part of Alberta. Starting to blow about midnight, the gale increased in velocity until the height was reached about six in the morning. When the wind started the sky was overcast with thin clouds that gave promise of a snowfall, but before long these had been driven away to the south. From 2 to 6 o'clock the average velocity of the wind was 20 miles an hour, and during the day 30 miles an hour. The high drifts of snow along the streets and roads resemble a series of switch-back railways.

## Lost, Strayed or Stolen

Old English Sheep-Dog, answering to the name of "Bob." Weight about 60 lbs, hair long, shaggy about eyes, head and legs silver saddle, dark. Last seen Wednesday, Jan. 3rd. \$5 reward for return to s h f 9-28-7, or for information leading to his recovery.

## JANITOR WANTED

For Chinook Consolidated School. Apply, stating salary expected, to the undersigned.

LORNE PROUDFOOT, Sec.-Treas.

## TENDERS WANTED

Tenders wanted for the position of Secretary-Treasurer of the Chinook Consolidated S.D., such tenders to be sealed and to be marked "Tender for Secretary-Treasurership of Chinook C.S.D." such tenders to be handed to Mr. N. F. Marcy, Chinook, or mailed to his address, before Saturday noon, Jan. 20th. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

LORNE PROUDFOOT, Sec.-Treas.

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which is recognized as the best oil in the world for family use.  
Less dirt, less danger, less trouble, More Light!  
Sells at 35 cents per gallon  
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No. 1—Live  
Spring Chickens 12c  
Hens 8c  
Young tom and  
hen turkeys 16c  
Old tom, &c 11c  
Old roosters 6c  
Ducks 8c

Let us have your Grocery Order

Highest market price for Butter and Eggs.

Grocery, Bakery, and Confectionery

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IN ARM'S BLOCK, CHINOOK  
E. B. MILLS, Manager

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Money to loan at lowest rates  
Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries.

CONVEYANCERS, ETC.

YOUNGSTOWN, ALBERTA

## NOTICE

To whom it may concern  
After this date, all Dogs found on my property and worrying or chasing my live stock will be shot or destroyed on sight.  
H. T. LENSEGRAF  
Chinook, Alta.  
Dated this 4th day of January, 1917

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A. NICHOLSON,  
Editor and Proprietor

## Chinook Consolidated S.D. N. 16

The board of trustees of the Chinook S.D. met in the school on Tuesday evening, Dec. 26.  
Members present: Messrs Deman, Bennett and Maris.

Following accounts were ordered paid:  
Alta School Sup. Co, chairs 112.50  
T. O. Stephenson, inspect 85.00  
Emp Lumber Co, posts 7.00  
L. Proudfoot, bal salary 150.00  
I. W. Deman, for coal 50.85  
Perf Supply Co, floor oil 27.00  
Lorne Proudfoot, phone, &c 2.40  
" C.O.D. elec bells 13.35  
W. W. Isbister, blk work 1.50  
Bennett, that van drivers be paid balance owing them for driving vans.

Maris, that Chairman and Secretary be a committee to see the Oddfellow Lodge here re purchasing by the Board of Trustees of their piano.

Deman, that Secretary arrange with hardware stores in town for the purchase of supplies required by the board of trustees for the S.D., arranging if possible to secure these supplies at a reduced price.

Maris, that Secretary be instructed to advertise in Calgary Herald for a teacher for grades 6, 7, and 8, teacher with first class certificate salary \$800.00 per year.

Maris, that bill of \$554.70 from C. W. Pettifer for putting in stage, material for same, for storm windows, etc., these being not included in specifications for building.

Bennett, that \$500.00 be paid to Mr Pettifer on contract for building, and that the remaining 1000.00 be paid as soon as bldg and heating plant are accepted by the Board, 500.00 to be paid to Mr Woodruff and 500.00 to Mr Pettifer.

Bennett, that tender of John Sandman for driving van for Route No. 2 at 4.50 per day be accepted, Robt Dillon for Route No. 3 at 5.00 per day and Geo W. Bunnett for Route No. 4 at 4.00 per day.

Deman, that Mr. Bennett arrange for driver for Route No. 1 at 5.00 per day, until such time as some one can be engaged permanently.  
Adjourned.

The board of trustees of the above school district was held on Tuesday evening, Jan. 9th.

Members present: Messrs. Lensegraf, Marcy and Roberts.  
Marcy—Roberts, that Mr Lensegraf be chairman of the board of trustees.

Mr. Lensegraf declined to accept the position.

Marcy—Lensegraf, that Mr. Roberts be chairman.

Mr. Roberts declined to accept the position.

Roberts—Lensegraf, that Mr. Marcy be chairman. Carried.

Roberts, that Mr. Proudfoot be appointed as sec-treas. pro tem, and that he be instructed to call for tenders for that position for the year, the tenders to be sealed and to be marked "Tender for Secretary-Treasurership of Chinook C. S. D.", such tenders to be handed to Mr. N. F. Marcy, Chinook, or mailed to his address before Saturday noon, Jan. 20th, the lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The minutes of last meeting of the 1916 Board of Trustees was read.

Lensegraf, that the terms offered by hardware merchants of Chinook on school supplies that may be needed from time to time be accepted.

Marcy, that Secretary secure from the Dept. of Education of the Province of Manitoba a copy of their regulations regarding Consolidated Schools.

Roberts, that van drivers be required to sign at once the contract for van drivers as adopted by the Board of Trustees.

Lensegraf, that Mr. Kinch be engaged as van driver for Route No. 1, salary \$5.00 per day.

Marcy, that pupils who have had no previous teaching, and whose coming to school will necessitate the starting of a new class, be required to all start at the same time in each term, this time to be April 1st and Sept 1st

Following accounts ordered paid:

Leroy Arms, janitor for Dec. \$30.00  
Herald Pub. Co. adt for teacher 1.20  
Chinook Advance, printing, &c 3.75  
R. S. Woodruff, supplies 19.10  
Banner Hardware 40.65  
Dorothy Young, 3 days riding to school when van not run 1.50  
Lorne Proudfoot, stamps, &c 38.73  
M. L. Chapman, drying 43.50  
Also Banner Hardware account re Bison S.D. 3.05

Marcy, that the bills of Christie's, E. N. Moyer, and Alberta School Supply Co. for furniture and equipment be place on file for the present.

Lensegraf, whereas, the sum of ten thousand dollars is required to meet the expenditure of the school district until such time as the taxes levied for the current year, and the moneys from the sale of \$15,000.00 debentures recently authorized by Board of Public Utility Commissioners is available, and it is desirable to borrow the sum of \$10,000.00;

Be it, therefore, enacted, that the Chairman and Treasurer be, and they are hereby authorized and empowered to borrow from the Union Bank of Canada the said sum of ten thousand dollars

Lensegraf, that Chairman and Treasurer be authorized to borrow from the Union Bank, Chinook, the sum of seven hundred dollars to meet an overdraft of \$123.82 on Dec. 31, 1916, and to pay expenditure authorized to-night.

Marcy, that communications regarding piano, and debenture payment of Bison S.D. be placed on file.

Lensegraf, that Secretary be instructed to notify Mr. W. A. Pinkerton, principal of the school, that the Board of Trustees of this district will not require his services as principal of the school after the 10th day of February next, and that this notice is given for the purpose of terminating on that date his agreement with the Board of Trustees of this district. Carried.

Marcy, that the Secretary be instructed to write to the Dept. of Education, Edmonton, requesting them to add Carpathia S.D. to the Chinook Consolidated S.D., as the result of the last poll on this question gave a majority in favor of consolidation, the women who were allowed to vote at that time having no legal right to do so.

Lensegraf, that until further notice Mr. Aarsby's children be brought to school by Mr. Bunnett in his van, providing they come to meet the van.

Adjourned to meet on Saturday evening, Jan. 20th, at 7.30.  
Lorne Proudfoot, Sec.-Treas

# Wall Paper

Realizing the need of a stock of Wall Paper in Chinook I have put in a full line of the Latest Patterns at prices that please. Call and see my samples.

# Beds & Bedding

I have also put in a large stock of Beds, Mattresses, and Springs. This stock is on show in my old store. It will be worth while to look these over before you buy.

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Why? Prompt Service and Quality Goods!

# NOTICE

I wish to inform my many friends and customers that on account of my health I have been advised to take a six-weeks' trip to the East. I hope to be back in plenty of time for the Spring work. Thanking you for past favors, I would ask for a continuance of the same.

W. W. ISBISTER  
GENERAL BLACKSMITH

## CHINOOK MARKETS

Wheat, No. 1	\$1.60
" No. 2	1.57
" No. 3	1.52
Oats, No. 2, Canada West	44 1/2
Oats, feed	41
Barley	68
Flax	2.30
Corn	
Live Hogs (Calgary)	11.25
Eggs	40
Butter	40



Chinook Lodge, No. 1133 meets every Monday at 8.00 p. m. in Arms' hall, Chinook. Visiting members are cordially invited.  
M. J. Hewitt, N.G.  
E. B. Mills, R. S.

## KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

CHINOOK LODGE, No. 49, meets on the first and third Thursdays of every month in their Castle Hall, Arm's Block, Chinook.

Visiting members are cordially invited to attend.  
E. B. Mills, C.C.  
W. Milligan, K.R. & S.

# POULTRY For Sale

60 White Leghorn Cockerels  
4 White Wyandotte Cockerels  
From \$1.00 to \$2.00  
6 Mammoth Bronze Gobblers  
P. A. BOSSENBERRY,  
Collholme, Alta.

## Bull for Sale

Well-bred last Spring Bull Calf (Shorthorn) for sale. Chunky, and will make a good beef sire. Will be sold cheap as owner can't use him.  
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